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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/929,348 Confirmation No. :
Applicant : Robert P. SCARINGE, et al.
Filed : August 15, 2001
TC/A.U. : 2821
Examiner : Jimmy Vu
Docket No. : 029211.43195D1
Customer No. : 23911
Title : Method of Introducing an in Situants Into a Vapor
Compression System Especially Useful for Leak Detection,
as Well as an Apparatus for Leak Detection and a
Composition Useful for Leak Detection

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, applicants elect
Claims 39-43.

An early action on the merits of the elected claims is respectfully
requested.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in
general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this
should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

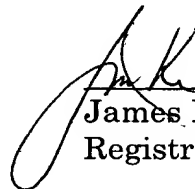
If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as
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please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit
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Respectfully submitted,

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